

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. Please insert the following section on page 1 after the title of the invention:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

The subject application is a divisional of 10/208,492 filed July 30, 2003, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/553,982 filed April 20, 2000 and are hereby incorporated by reference.

2. At page 10 of the specification, please replace the entire paragraph beginning on line 13 with the words "Referring to Fig. 3" and ending on line 22 with words "lower portion 46b" with the following paragraph:

Referring to Figs. 2 and 3, replaceable filter cartridge 40 includes a generally cylindrical body portion 42 enclosing filter media 45 for filtering process fluid. Those skilled in the art will readily appreciate that any one of a variety of different types of filter media could be enclosed within the body portion including, for example, pleated media, micro-fibers or the carbon media which is shown for example in Fig. 2. An end cap 44 encloses the body portion 42, and a cylindrical neck portion 46 depends from the end cap 44. Those skilled in the art will readily appreciate that the end cap 44 and body portion 42 can be joined together by sonic welding, spin welding or other similar methods known in the art. The neck portion 46 of filter cartridge 40 is adapted and configured for reception with the interior cavity of valve member 26 (see Figs. 6-9) and includes an upper section 46a and a lower portion 46b.